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PATENT / DOCKET NO.: 26114.13

INVENTOR'S DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to our names;

We believe we are the original, first and sole joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

MASS SPECTROMETER

the specification of which: (check one)

_____ is attached hereto.

XX was filed on March 9, 2004
under Attorney's Docket Number 26114.13
as Application Serial No. _____
and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, including for continuation-in-part applications, material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of the continuation-in-part application.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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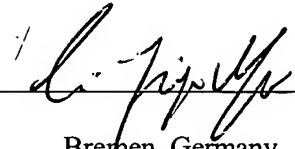
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FULL NAME OF INVENTOR: Stevan Roy HORNING

INVENTOR'S SIGNATURE: 

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RESIDENCE: Delmenhorst

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Malek et al.

Serial No.: Based upon GB0305420.2

Filed: March 9, 2004

For: Mass spectrometer

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POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a representative of the Assignee, Thermo Finnigan, LLC, a corporation located at 355 River Oaks Parkway, San Jose, California, 95134-1991, I hereby appoint the following attorneys and/or agents to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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The undersigned is the representative for the Assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application identified above. A copy of the assignment or other documents in the chain of title are attached.

The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the Assignee.

THERMO FINNIGAN, LLC

March 26, 2004
Date

By: JAMES HURST
Typed or printed name
Signature

DIRECTOR, INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY
Title

Attorney Docket No. : AJF/P62699US00

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **ROBERT MALEK**,

of **H.-C.-Findorff-Str. 42a, 28865 Lilienthal, Germany**

have invented certain new and useful improvements as described in an application entitled

MASS SPECTROMETER

For Letters Patent of the United States, the application having been executed on even date herewith, and/or being identifiable in the United States Patent and Trademark Office by Serial No. **10/796,645** filed **March 9, 2004** ; and

WHEREAS, **THERMO FINNIGAN LLC**

a company organized and existing under the laws of Delaware, United States of America

and having offices at 355 River Oaks Parkway, San Jose, California 95134-1991, United States of America ("Assignee")

is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the application, and any and all Letters Patent or similar legal protection, foreign or domestic, to be obtained therefor;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, I transfer to Assignee, its successors and assigns, my entire right, title and interest in and to the invention, the above-identified application, corresponding domestic and foreign applications all Letters Patents or similar legal protection issuing thereon, and all rights and benefits under any applicable treaty or convention; and I authorize the Commissioner of

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Patents and Trademarks of the United States or foreign equivalent thereof to issue the Letters Patent or similar legal protection to the Assignee.

I authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, to insert in this instrument the filing date and serial number of the application when ascertained.

I authorize the Assignee, its successors and assigns, or anyone it may properly designate, to apply for Letters Patent or similar legal protection, in its own name if desired, in any and all countries.

I represent to the Assignee, its successors and assigns, that I have not and shall not execute any writing or do any act whatsoever conflicting with this Assignment. I, my executors or administrators, will at any time upon request, without additional consideration, but at the expense of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, execute such additional writings and do such additional acts as the Assignee, its successors and assigns, may deem desirable to perfect its enjoyment of this grant, and render all assistance in making application for and obtaining, maintaining, and enforcing the Letters Patent or similar legal protection on the invention in any and all countries.

X Robert Malek
Robert Malek

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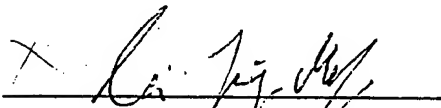
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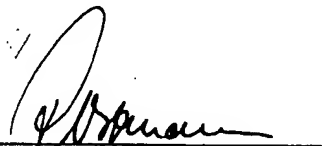
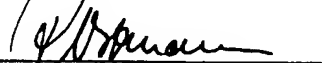
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X 
KAI JURGEN MEYER

Date: X 14 May 2004

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **SILKE SEEDORF**,

of **Durerstrasse 14, 28844 Weyhe / Leeste, Germany**

have invented certain new and useful improvements as described in an application entitled

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SILKE SEEDORF

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